

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing will replace all prior versions, and listings, of the claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-39 (canceled)

40. (new) A method of manufacturing a film to form a reclosable bag, comprising the steps of:

moving the film; and

attaching sequentially and crosswise with respect to the direction of movement of said film, a fastener comprising a first strip containing at least one reclosable profile interlocked with another reclosable profile that is complementary thereto and contained by a second strip, which will be subsequently attached to said film;

wherein each of said first and second strips contains at least one web extending substantially laterally on one side of the profile contained thereon;

and wherein said fastener includes a slider for opening and closing said film.

41. (new) A method of manufacturing a film to form a reclosable bag, comprising the steps of:

moving the film;

forming cut-outs on said film;

attaching sequentially and crosswise with respect to the direction of movement of said film and proximate to said cut-outs, a fastener comprising a first strip containing at least one reclosable profile interlocked with another reclosable profile that is complementary thereto and contained by a second strip, which will be subsequently attached to said film;

wherein each of said first and second strips contains at least one web extending substantially laterally on one side of the profile contained thereon;

and wherein said fastener includes a slider for opening and closing said film.